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SUBJECT: CACM-- GOCR NAMES HIGH LEVEL REPRESENTATIVE ON
RESTRUCTURING

REF: SAN JOSE 1087

1. MINISTER ECONOMY, INDUSTRY, AND COMMERCE
SANCHEZ TOLD EMBOFF APRIL 26 THAT GOCR ON
APRIL 25 APPOINTED RIGOBERTO NAVARO AS COSTA RICA'S
REPRESENTATIVE ON THE HIGH LEVEL COMMITTEE ON CACM
RESTRUCTURING. NAVARO IS AN OFFICIAL OF THE CENTRAL
BANK, WHO HAS BEEN CLOSELY ASSOCIATED AT THE STAFF LEVEL
WITH CACM AFFAIRS. HE REPORTEDLY ATTENDED THE RECENT CIAP
MEETINGS IN WASHINGTON.

2. ON THE QUESTION OF THE CANCELLATION OF THE
SCHEDULED SAN JOSE MINISTERIAL LEVEL MEETING
SANCHEZ SAID THIS WAS DUE TO FOOT- DRAGGING ON THE
PART OF HONDURAS WHICH SEEMED TO BE ATTEMPTING TO
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USE THE QUESTION OF CACM RESTRUCTURING AS LEVERAGE IN ITS BORDER PROBLEMS WITH SALVADOR. HE POINTED OUT THAT HONDURAS WAS THE ONLY COUNTRY WHICH HAD NOT NAMED ITS HIGH LEVEL REPRESENTATIVE BUT THAT WITH COSTA RICA'S ACTION ON THE 25 TH, HONDURAS WOULD NOW BE UNDER PRESSURE TO FOLLOW SUIT. HE SEEMED TO BELIEVE THAT PROGRESS TOWARDS RESTRUCTURING WOULD GET BACK ON THE TRACKS FAIRLY SOON. SANCHEZ MADE IT CLEAR THAT NICARAGUA WAS NOT REPEAT NOT PRESENTING PROBLEMS AND INDEED THAT NICARAGUA HAD NOT BROUGHT ANY FURTHER PRESSURE ON COSTA RICA FOR PREFERENTIAL EXCHANGE TREATMENT (SEE SAN JOSE A-42).

3. COMMENT: FYI: SANCHEZ POINTED OUT THAT THE GOCR HAD NOT SELECTED A MAN OF GREATER PERSONAL STATURE BECAUSE PAST EXPERIENCE HAD SHOWN THAT SUCH MEN WERE NOT TEAM PLAYERS. HE DESCRIBED NAVARO AS A VERY SOLID TECHNICIAN WHO WOULD FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS. END FYI.
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